

struction completion. But if Woodrow Wilson doesn't open by January, Boyle said there will be no double sessions.

busing K-6 students living farther than two miles from school and for 9-12 students who live 2½ miles away from school.

for of arts degree in elementary education from Newark State College. Mrs. Snedecker was graduated summa cum laude.

Kinzer Resigns Post in Middlesex

MIDDLESEX — Resignation of George R. Kinzer Jr. from the Board of Education effective immediately was accepted with regret by the Board of Education last night.

Kinzer said he and his family will leave the state by the middle of the year for Denver, where he is being transferred by his employer, the Johns-Manville Corp.

Other board members joined Board President Paul E. Kirkwood and Supt. Robert A. Sena in expressing regret at Kinzer's departure.

Kirkwood invited persons interested in filling the vacancy to contact him. He named Dr. Richard F. Beidler, former board president, to replace Kinzer on the finance and insurance committee, now headed by Ronald Dobies.

Anthony D'Agostino, secretary-business manager, was directed to write a letter of appreciation to Kinzer for his two years of service on the board.

Payment of \$40,000 to the Henderson Construction Co., of Somerville for work on the high school addition and alterations was held up pending an evaluation, report and recommendations by the buildings and grounds committee. The committee is expected to report at an adjourned meeting next Monday at 8 p.m.

With two members dissenting, William Armstrong and Joel Hollenberg, the board approved a salary agreement with school administrators, reflecting an increase of from 6 to 12 per cent.

Wage Board Approval Voted

Armstrong contended the agreement should have been forwarded to the Wage Board for approval. Hollenberg also argued that the "eight and possibly nine" administrators should have been evaluated.

Edward J. Johnson Jr. said the board is within the law as long as it adheres to past pay practice by continuing the existing ratio to the teachers' guide and applying it to the new teachers' salary guide. Hollenberg contended past pay practice would "have to be spread on the minutes."

The new administrative salaries approved by the board were: Fred J. Vowinkel, \$22,320, pro-rated, a ratio of 1.6 per cent; Robert Vosbrink, \$20,088, pro-rated, a ratio of 1.44; Thomas Schuyler, \$17,031, pro-rated, a ratio of 1.25; Elvin Van Hise, \$17,437, pro-rated, a ratio of 1.25; \$13,828, 1.15; Edward T. Kelly III, \$12,448, 1.15, and Gemerose Vscia, an acting vice principal, \$10,425.

Seven board members approved the new salaries. Armstrong abstained, and Hollenberg voted in opposition. The board voted a new contract to Norman Hawk, assistant superintendent of schools, for \$17,437.50, retroactive to Nov. 15, at a 1.25 ratio. Once again, Armstrong abstained from voting, and Hollenberg voted no.

The board revised on first reading its policy in regard to pregnant teachers to conform with requirements of the N.J. Division of Civil Rights. The old policy required a teacher to leave no later than the first day of the sixth month of pregnancy. Under the proposed policy, a teacher may continue after that time if her condition permits, subject to approval and certification by her physician and if, in the judgment of the school administration, "her services do not decline."

Tenure employees may request an 18-month leave of absence at the beginning of the third month of pregnancy. Non-tenure teachers will be asked to submit resignations.